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# THE SONS OF VETERANS, U. S. A.

The National Encampment at Washington Largely Attended and Full of Earnestness-Geo. W. Pollitt, of New Jersey, Elected Commander-in-Chief-Miss Molly Donaldson Re-elected National President of Auxiliary.

The young men and women whose fathers fought to a successful conclusion the great civil war and established the eternal indivisibility of the American battleship Maine who went can Union, came to Washington from many States. Their shibboleth was was "The Union forever" and "We remem- 1898. ber the valor and endurance of our fathers in the days of fire and smoke and carnage in the '60s that tried men's

The approximately 300 delegates to the Encampment were progressive, pa-triotic fellows, and Americans to the core, every one of them.

#### The Business Session.

The sessions of the Encampment were held in the auditorium of the historic Arlington Hotel, the former abiding place of many noted Americans and for-eigners. Conjointly with the sessions of the Sons, the Annual Convention o the National Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans was held in the parlors of the Arlington.

The Executive Committee of Wash-

ington Sons, headed by the retiring Commander-in-Chief, Edgar Allen, Jr., of Richmond, Va., were busily engaged for two months preparing for the com-ing of the young men and women from the States A handsomely-printed souvenir program gave the amusement fea-tures, a history of the organization and half-tone portraits of the principal officers of the Association. Actively assist ing the committee was Maj. E. R. Campbell, of Washington, D. C., a Past Commander-in-Chief of the Order. The Council-in-Chief held a meeting Monday afternoon, Aug. 23, and mapped out a tentative program for the Encampment. The candidates that were arriving on every train Monday congregated in and about the Arlington and discussed the politics of the organ-ization. It was quickly discernible that there was to be a spirited three-cor-nered contest for the position of Com-mander-in-Chief. New Jersey announced that it would present the name of Geo W. Pollitt, Postmaster of Paterson. Mas sachusetts put forward the name of Fred Bolton, of Boston, while Indiana to the fore with Newton J. Mcwent to the fore with Newton J. Mc-Gulre, of Indianapolis. All three were stated to be strong men in the race, and It so developed, as the closeness of the vote on the first ballot evidenced.

#### Welcome to Washington.

Owing to the absence from Washing ton of Henry B. F. Macfarland, President of the Board of Commissioners of the District of Columbia, Wm. F. Gude, of Commerce, presided over the recep-tion meeting Tuesday forenoon. Members of the Department of the Poto-mac, G. A. R., the Union Veteran Le-gion, Woman's Relief Corps, Ladies of the G. A. R., Women of the Loyal Legion, Daughters of Veterans, United Spanish War Veterans, Army and Navy Union and other patriotic societies were present to greet the Sons. Mr. Gude bade the delegates welcome

to the American Capital, which he de-scribed as the "fairest city on the

Washington to the Sons and Daughters

"The city is yours. Your (athers by their valor saved it when the bie of the Nation was threatened. Now it is the National City, and every American citizen has an inalienable interest in it."

The first ballot resulted in no choice, as follows: Pollitt, 59 ½ votes; Fred Bolton, of Boston, Mass., 50 ½ votes; Newton, of Boston, of Bosto Commander Edwin H. Holbrook. the Department of the Potomac, G. A. R., received an ovation when he was presented to the Sons and Daughters by Maj. E. R. Campbell. He welcomed the delegates to Washington in behalf

"For four long years," Col. Holbrook said, "the Grand Army of the Union never took its eyes off the city of Washington, nor its arms from around it. and by the grace of God this Capital City was saved to the Nation by that

Commander Holbrook declared there can be no successor to the G. A. R., bu he Sons of Veterans and Daughters of Veterans will be expected to take up the good work where the veterans leave and to see that loyalty is fostered and the principles on which the civil was fought and won are carried

National Commander T. J. Shannor of the Union Veteran Legion, said the matter of admitting sons of Union vet-erans to active membership in the U. V. L. will be taken up by the National Encampment of the Order, to be held In Washington from Sept. 7 to Sept. 11

### The Daughters of Veterans,

Miss Molly Donaldson, President of the National Auxiliary to the Sons of Veterans, who halls from Paterson, N. sald the heritage of the Daughters of Veterans is the same as that of the Sons. She dispelled the idea that the Auxiliary is a social organization,

"We are banded together." Miss Don-aldson explained, "to assist the Sons in maintaining the glorious principles of lotism and to help the members of the Grand Army of the Republic." S. G. Mawson, an officer of the Span-ish War Veterans, who served in both the civil war and the War with Spain, greeted the Sons on behalf of the sol-diers and sailers of 1898.

A telegram received by Commander in-Chief Edgar Allen, Jr., from Rich-mond, announced the birth of Edgar Allen the Third. Applause greeted the reading of the dispatch.

### Report of the Commanderin-Chief.

At the business session of the Enmander-in-Chief Allen was read. He recommended radical changes in the Constitution and favored the erection of a great memorial building in Wash-ington in honor of the soldiers and sailors of the civil war. He also urged that a peace monument be erected in Wash-ington by the sons of Union veterans and the sons of Confederate veterans, to commemorate the perfect reunion of all sections of the United States. He announced the appointment of committees, with H. H. Hammar, of Reading, Pa., Chairman of the Creden-Reading, Pa., Chairman of the Creden-tials Committee; George B. Abbott, of Chicago, Chairman Ritual Committee; Edward M. Amies, of Altoona, Pa., Chairman Constitution and Laws Com-mittee; E. M. Grant, Hartford, Conn., Chairman Committee on Officers' Re-ports; William T. Church, of Chicago, Chairman Resolutions Committee; Chas. A. Sidman, Washington, D. C.,

Chairman Press Committee. The Ladies' Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon, and listened to the reports of the officers. Miss Donaldson, the National President, urged the delegates to greater zeal in increasing the mem-

bership of the organization The afternoon session Wednesday of the Sons of Veterans was devoted largeto a discussion of proposed changes in the Constitution and to administra-

The fires of patriotism burned bright-| Comrade McElroy's purpose to interest ly at the 28th Annual Encampment of the Sons and Daughters in the wide-the Commandery-in-Chief, Sons of Vet-erans, U. S. A., which was held in this Maine memorial at Washington, and he succeeded. He explained it is proposed to erect in one of the public res

down to their deaths when the vessel was destroyed in Havana Harbor in

Later the Maine memorial matter was brought before the Encampment, and Comrade McElroy's request submitted to the body. Without a dissenting vote the Encampment indorsed the proposition, and the new Commanderin-Chief will name a committee to ar-range for substantial support of the project. The committee will be composed of Sons of Veterans who were soldiers or sailors in the War with

#### The Annual Campfire.

With patriotic music and Old Glory n every side, the annual campfire of the Sons of Veterans was held in the banquet hall of the Arlington Tuesday evening. Maj. Fred S. Hodgson, of Washington, D. C., presided. Besides being the son of a Union veteran, Maj. Hodgson was an officer of the 1st D. C Vols, in the Spanish-American War. In his opening address Commander in-Chief Allen referred to the "good

feeling shown by the Sons of Confederate Veterans towards the Sons of the fighting men of the '60s who wore the Union blue." He said the aim of the Sons of Veterans is not to usurp the giory of the civil war veterans, but to preserve and treasure their histories and records of their valor.

Commander Allen said he hopes to see the membership of the Sons of Vet-

rans reach the million mark. Judge Ivory G. Kimball, a member of the National Legislative Committee of the G. A. R., urged the Sons to col-late and preserve the individual his-

tories of the veterans. Capt, Israel W. Stone, a member of the Board of Managers of the Soldiers and Sailors' Temporary Home at Washington, D. C., and also a Past Department Commander of the G. A. R., was one of the speakers. He explained that veterans of the civil and Spanish wars are cared for at the Temporary Home without cost when they are in Wash ington without means. He expressed the hope that Congress at its next session will appropriate enough money to

erect a Home building.

Department Commander Holbrook told the Sons about the doings at the recent National Encampment of the G. A. R. at Salt Lake City, and urged "the boys" to keep up their patriotism and their membership.

Other speakers were B. J. Northcott Division Commander of the Sons of Veterans of Maryland; Rev. W. J. Patton, President of the Sons of Veterans' Memorial University at Mason City, Iowa, and Gen. Edwin M. Amies, of Al-

toona, Pa.

Memorial services for the dead of the organization were conducted by Na-tional Chaplain B. F. Jones.

#### Thursday's Session.

The feature of Thursday's session of the Sons of Veterans was the annual Chas. W. Clagett, of the Chamber of election of officers. After a lively content of test George W. Pollitt, of New Jersey, Washington to the Sons and Daughters was elected Commander-in-Chief on the

second ballot.

The first ballot resulted in no choice

votes.
The other National Officers elected '61 Arthur Boutwell, of Concord, N. H., Senior Vice Commander-in-Chief.

Edwin M. Amies, of Altoona, Pa. Chief of Staff. Members of the Council-in-Chief— Thomas J. Hannon, of Dedham, Mass.; Felix A. Kramer, of Madison, Wis.; John A. Bommhardt, of Cleveland, O. The new Commander-in-Chief announced the following appointments: Personal Aid, A. I. Vescelius, of Paterson, N. J.; Patriotic Instructor, Rev. W. J. Patton, of Mason City, Iowa; Na-tional Chaplain, Rev. W. A. Halleck, of Honeoye Falls, N. Y.; National Coun-selor, Edward K. Gould, of Rockland,

The recently-elected officers were installed by Past Commander-in-Chief Geo. B. Abbott, of Chicago.

The Encampment decided to meet active list now that ranks as General or Lieutenant-General, this office hav-

City, N. J. The matter of erecting a peace monument at Washington with the co-operation of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans, as recommended by Past Commander-in-Chief Allen, was called up, but action was deferred until the next Encampment in 1910. The recommendation of Past Com-mander-in-Chief Allen for a memorial

building in Washington was non-con-

#### City, and others, Presentations.

A large framed photograph of Past Commander-in-Chief Edgar Allen, Jr., was presented to the Encampment on behalf of the Executive Encampment formittee of Washington, D. C. It will Veterans' Memorial University at Ma-

Speciman, of Cleveland, O., was presented with a historic cane by Junior Vice Commander-in-Chief Francis E. dense entanglements and heavy fire of Cross, of Washington, D. C. It is made from wood used in the original con-struction of the White House. The brass ferule of the cane is from metal battleship Maine in the harbor of Ha-

A gavel made from the original flooring and a rafter of the White House was presented by Capt. Cross to the re-tiring Commander-in-Chief, Edgar A.

The Ladies' Auxiliary presented Mr. Allen with a gold spoon for his new baby, Edgar Allen Third, born the opening day of the Encampment.

### Appointments,

Commander Allen appointed as the Committee on Fraternal Relations A. E. B. Stephens, of Ohio, Chairman; Arthur B. Spink, of Rhode Island; Dr. D. Sherman Smith, of Pennsylvania; M. M. St. Clair, of Colorado, and E. C. Irelan, of Maryland.

He named as members of the Press Committee Chas. A. Sidman, of the District of Columbia, Chairman; L. W. Friedman, of Alabama, and Frank Lee Carl, of Maryland. on the

#### The Memorial University.

The statement was officially made to the Encampment that the Sons of Veterans' Memorial University at Mason City, Iowa, has an enrollment of 200 students and possesses property valued at \$175,000.

#### The National Auxiliary.

The National Auxiliary re-elected Miss Molly Donaldson, of Paterson, N J., National President, and presented her with a handsome diamond ring in recognition of her services for the Asso-The other National Officers elected

National Vice President, Lida Tschuly, Johnstown, Pa. H. Pauline Creighton, hampaign, III. Chaplain, Mrs. Loretta Patton, Ma-

on City, Iowa. Inspector, Sadie E. Walters, New Installing and Instituting Officer, Mael Braley, New Bedford, Mass.

Patriotic Instructor, Kate G. Raynor, 'oledo, O. Secretary, Mary L. Tredo, Paterson, Chief of Staff, Mrs. St. Clair, Denver,

Press Correspondent, Ethel Gilman,

Judge-Advocate-General, George W. Judge-Advocate-General, George H.
Pollitt, Paterson, N. J.
Members of National Council: Edna
Bergovitz, Columbus, O.; Alice B.
White, Vermont, and Elizabeth Water-

nan, New York City.

A brilliant social feature of the Enampment was the ball and reception n the ball room of the Arlington Hotel, Tuesday evening, Aug. 25. There were many distinguished war veterans present, also members of the Woman's Relief Corps and other patriotic bodies

#### The New Commander-in-Chief.

George Washington Pollitt, the new Commander-in-Chief of the Sons of Veterans, is Postmaster of Paterson, N. J., and a prominent citizen of that place. He is a charter member of Hugh C. Irish Camp, 8, S. of V.s of Paterson, and Chairman of the County Republican Committee. He is also President of the Lincoln Republican Club of Paterson, and is highly connected with other influential organizations there.

#### Excursion to the Battlefields.

The delegates and their friends to the number of about 300, made an ex-cursion trip from Washington to Fredericksburg, Richmond and Petersburg, Va., and surveyed the country and its historic places over which their fathers fought from 1861 to 1865. At Fred-ericksburg they went to see Marye's Hights, with its famous sunken road and stone wall, behind which the Conederates were massed when Gen, Burnside assaulted their lines. They saw the old tobacco factories in Richmond that were used as wartime prisons, also the White House of the Confederacy, which was occupied by Jeff Davis. Upon reaching Petersburg they viewed the remains of the massive fortifications and the scene of the Crater disaster.

While in Washington many of the lelegates visited old Fort Stevens, on the northern outskirts of the city, where the only battle in the District of Columbia was fought. They found the well-worn parapet of the fort upon which President Abraham Lincoln stood under fire of the guns of Early's Confederates before their retreat. They also visited Arlington, "the Silent City of the Nation's Dead," where some of their fathers sleep, and made a pli-grimage to the tomb of George Wash-ington at Mount Vernon.

The Encampment of the Command-

ery-in-Chief, Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., of 1909, was voted to have been one of the most successful and enjoyable in the history of the organization.

#### Pay of Officers, Etc.

Editor National Tribune: In your Capt. Francis E. Cross, of Washing-ton, D. C., Junior Vice Commander-in-

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Lieutenant-General	\$27	9 5	40	
Major-General	22	0	15	
Brigadier-General .	12	4	12	
Colonel of Cavalry.	11	0	6	
Lieutenant-Colonel		5	5	
Major	8	0	4	
Captain	7		4	
First Lieutenant	5	5.33	4	
Second Lieutenant.		3.33	4	
Colonel of Infantry		0	6	
Lieutenant-Colonel		5	5	
Captain	8	0	4	

ext year with the G. A. R. at Atlantic ing expired with the retirement of Lieut.-Gen. MacArthur.-Editor National Tribune.

### The 100th Ohio at Utoy Creek.

Editor National Tribune: In your history of the Atlanta campaign and in giving a description of the battle of Utoy Creek, on Aug. 6, 1854, you make no mention of the 100th Ohio, which belonged to Col. Reilly's Brigade, and was commanded by Col. Patrick Slevin, Telegrams of greeting and congratu-lation were received from Past Com-mander-in-Chief Nevius, of the G. A. R.; Della Henry, National President of the Ladies of the G. A. R., of Kansas five killed, four wounded and two captured. Myself and Orderly-Sergeant were captured. I read with much inter-est these articles in The National Tribune, and would like to see each regi-ment get its just dues.—Henry Bever, ment get its just dues.-Henry Be Co. H, 100th Ohio, West Unity, O.

The 100th Ohio was heavily engaged at Utoy Creek. Gen, Reilly reported of that the 112th Ill., 100th Ohio, 8th Past Commander-in-Chief H. V. Ohio crossed the creek, and charged to Tenn, and five companies of the 104th dense entanglements and heavy fire of the enemy. Col. P. S. Slevin, com-manding the 100th Ohio, was highly praised for his gallant leadership. He was severely wounded, and the command devolved upon Capt. Frank Run dell, who reported that the regiment lost 34 killed, 57 wounded and nine missing in the charge. The 100th Ohio lost more than any other regiment in the brigade except the 8th Tenn.-Editor National Tribune.

### 1st N. Y. Sharpshooters.

Editor National Tribune: Piease give a short history of the 1st Battalion, N. Y. S. S. The most of them that were on duty at the Weldon Railroad south of Petersburg on the 19th of August. 1864, were taken prisoners, and I presume, like myself, most of them have never been able to do much work since. -A. J. Brown, 731 W. Sixth avenue,

Oct. 22, 1862, Maj. W. S. Rowland received authority to recruit a battalion of sharpshooters, and raised four companies, the 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th. The A report made to the Encampment companies left the State Feb. 3, 1863, on the Sons of Veterans' Reserves and were with Peck's Division on the companies left the State Feb. 3, 1863, showed that the organization maintains more than 1,000 young men, armed and Peninsula, and in April, 1864, put in The Monument to the Maine.

The Monument to the Maine.

The Expenses of Dr. Patton, Patriotic Instructor, in traveling over the countries of the Maine Mashington, D. C., held a conference Washington, D. C., held a conference with the officers of the Commandery-tith, the officers of the Commandery-tithe the arms of the Third Division, Pifth Corps, Capt. Joseph S. Arnold succeed-titing the Corps, Capt. Joseph S. Arnold succeed-tithe the monument title the monument title the arms of the monument will attend in a body. The committee in charge of the monument title the monument title the arms of the flower of the committee in charge of the monument title the arms of the Cor equipped for active service at short the Third Brigade, Third Division, Fifth

## ANSWERS TO WEN

A Word to Correspondents Please do not write on both sides of your letter paper. Sign your full mame, mor necessarily for publication, and write it and all proper names very distincting. Do not abbreviate rour words. Give your postoffice and State. We get letters occasionally in which either the name or postoffice address has been overlooked. Do not mix business questions and correspondence. Les separate sheets of paper. All letters will be given prompt attention, ether by mail or in The National Tribune.

B. I. M. Lexington, Kv.: With the reward.

B. L. M., Lexington, Ky.: With the public rowth of temperance a breach has been created between the distillers and brewers, the latter now urging separate licenses for the sale of beer and of distilled liquors. The brewers during the last 30 years have made it their business to buy and control all business property in large cities which is avail able for saloon purposes. This is worked to the great advantage of the brewers and the great disadvantage of the whisky dealers, cigar men and supply men generally. Under the present regime the brewer buys a good corner, and, finding some affable and popular man who has from \$500 to \$2,000 in his possession, encourages him to fit up said cor-ner as a saloon, Mr. Brewer furnishing the necessary amount of money to complete the furnishings. Mr. Brewer proceeds to take a chattel mortgage upon all fixtures and a blanket chattel upon all goods in the possession of the lessee; then he kindly rents the building to said tenant for about 100 per cent more than he could get for it from any other source. Mr. Brewer also puts in his lease that the tenant is to handle no beer on draft except his own. This arrangement having been made, the place being in a good location and well stocked, as far as fixtures go, the wholesale houses both in the liquor and cigar lines, as well as the glassware man, soft-drifts man, etc., are more than willing to give said tenant credit. Their goods are sold on from 60 to 90 days, and payment is not required even then, as a part payment is usually satisfac-

Mr. Brewer in the meantime has his bill collected there every week and sees to it that the said bill is paid. After a hard season, when the license be-comes due, Mr. Tenant, who has put his real money into the proposition. finds himself unable to take out the license. The brewer has been paid up the other dealers have been partially paid, the tenant fails for his license, the brewer takes possession of the saloon under his chattel mortgage and resells the same at auction to another easy one. Solution this: Mr. Brewer gets his money, Mr. Tenant and the wholesale in the proposition, new man takes the

place, and same game is repeated. E. H. H., Georgetown, D. C.: The congressional Library, of this city, contains a great variety of works on genea-logies of families living in the different States. Nearly all of the 13 original States have printed regords of the Rev-olution. If you will write to the Secre-tary of the State Historical Society at Hartford, Conn., or at Albany, N. Y., and give the name and possible service of any member of your family you will get all particulars on record.

W. G. B., Eureka, Cal.: The Govern-ment of the United States Anring the rebellion of 1861-65 minde no enert to employ foreign troops in the sense of recruiting and hiring soldiers in or from foreign countries. A great many for-eigners who lived in this country individually enlisted and served well and faithfully. These were regiments com-posed largely of Irish, Germans and other nationalities.

T. M. F., Columbus, O.: Each Sena-ter, Congressional District and Territory, also the District of Columbia, is entitled to have one cader at the Mili-tary Academy at West Point, There are also 40 appointments at large, spe-cially conferred by the President of the United States. At present there are extra cadets at the academy, who are authorized by Congress to enter it at than two men to rank as General, and who were they? That office, I believe, was abolished.—R. M. Fulton, 132 E. made one year in advance of date of the nomination of the Senator or Representative. These nominations may either be made after competitive examination or given direct, at the option of the Representative. The Representative may nominate a legally qualified second may nominate a legally qualified second and date. The alternate will receive from the War D-partment a letter of appointment, and will be examined with the regular appointee, and if duly qualified will be admitted to the Academy in the war subject to the Academy in the war beginning will be admitted to the Academy in the event of the failure of the principal to gree Mason. event of the failure of the principal to pass the prescribed preliminary examinations. Appointees to the Military Academy must be between 17 and 22 years of age, free from any infirmity which may render them unfit for mili-tary service, and able to pass a careful examination in reading, writing, orthography, arithmetic, grammar, geography and history of the United States. The students of the Naval Academy are called Midshipmen. Two Midshipmen are allowed for each Senator, Representative and Delegates in Congress, two for the District of Columbia and five each year from the United States at large. The appointments from the Dis-trict of Columbia and five each year at large are made by the President. One Midshipman is allowed from Porto Rico, who must be a native of that island. The appointment is made by the President, on the recommendation of the Governor of Porto Rico. The Congressional appointments are equitably distributed, so that as soon as practicable each Senalongress may appoint one Midshipman during each Congress. The qualifica-

tary Academy. A. O. S., New York City: Any soldier who served in the army during the civil war can apply the time of service as to reduce the period necessary to live on land to acquire title from the Government. For example, if you served three years it will only be necessary for you o live on the land two years before getting your patent. The fact that you were born in a foreign country and came here before you were of age has nothing to do with the care. You served your country, and are entitled to all the rights of a good American citizen and

### It Was at Kelly's Ford.

Editor National Tribune: Comrade Cupnell, 1st lt. I. Cav., in issue of Sept. 26, is surely wrong in his reference to his first battle. In the first place, the cavalry fight at Kelly's Ford was March 17, 1863, under Gen. W. Averili, division commander; First Brigade (Col. Duffie)—1st R. I., 4th N. Y., 6th Ohio; Second Brigade (Col. McIntosh)—2d, 4th and 16th 1Pa.; Reserve Brigade (Capt. Reno)—portions of 1st and 5th U. S. Cav. and Martin's (New York) Horse Battery. York) Horse Battery! In the second place, the division was camped at Potomac Creek Station, and started from there for the fight. That the comrade cot mixed up is perhaps owing to his age and to lapse of memory. There is no doubt in my mind it was this fight at Kelly's Ford that he was trying to relate.—James McGahey, Co. I, 3d Pa. Cav., Darby, Pa.

# THE FAMILY.

It is amazing how much "clabbered' milk is wasted in the Summer by care-less housewives and ignorant serving maids who have not the wisdom to dis cern in it the foundation for innumer able tasty dishes. Pancakes, biscuits gems, cookies, gingerbread, etc., made with sour or buttermilk are much more tender and delicate than those com-pounded with sweet milk, so that econ-omy in this particular instance has its

Do not encourage precocity, either mental or physical, in young children. Do not even encourage them to walk until they make the attempt them selves. And even then be very careful that the child does not overtax his little strength or put a burden on his legs that will make them ill-formed or

If you want to get rid of superfluous weight dissolve four ounces of parnotis in a pint of hot water and take one tablespoonful three times a day before This is a flesh reducer that i meals. imost certain to bring about the re sults you desire, and should reduce your weight 10 pounds in a few weeks

#### MUSTERED OUT.

PERKINS.—Henry S. Perkins, who served in 180th N. Y., died at Necedah, Wis., June 24, 1909, aged 68 years. He was a good sol-dler and citizen, and leaves a widow to mourn his death.

HAYMAN.—Randolph Hayman, Co. A, 6th Pa. Reserves; died July 22, at Furbitville, Pa., in his 71st year. Comrade Hayman was twice wounded, first at Fredericksburg and later at Gettysburg. His term of service ex-tended over four years for months. tended over four years, four meaths and eight days. He is survived by a widow, two daughters and one son. He never fully re-covered from his wounds, yet was always cheerful and bore up well under his afflic-tion.

RANDALL.-C. B. Randall died at Bren

RANDALL.—C. B. Randall died at Bremerton, Wash. June 20, 1808, aged 68 years. He served in Co. K. 8th Ws., for three years. After discharge he lived in Michigan, later removing to Washington in 1892. Comrade Randall leaves a widow and son, who reside at Bremerton, and a daughter, residing at Ellensburg. Wash.

Comrade C. H. Crittenden sends the following list of deaths at the Ohio Military Home during July:

Edward Johnson, Co. I. 6th U. S. Colored Cav; Alfried Grinage, Co. I. 42d U. S. Colored Cav; Alfried Grinage, Co. I. 42d U. S. Colored Troops; Lenhard Weddle, Co. H. 1936 Pa.; Jno. F. Lindell, Co. F. 2d Ohio; Irvin Jackson, Co. G. 12th W. Va.; Cornelius Johnson, Co. H. 27th U. S. Colored Troops; William Johnson, Co. A. 63d Ohio; Michael Conners, aged 76, Co. B. 1st N. J. Cav.; George A. Reich, aged 74, Co. C. 28th Ohio; Paul F. Crowley, aged 76, Co. F. 2d W. Va. Cav.; John C. Ellioft, Co. D. 8th Ohio Cav.: Richard Murphy, Co. D. 155th Pa.; James T. Fleming, Co. K. 1st W. Va. Cav.; Joseph Oder, Co. B. 11th Ny. Cav.; Jacob M. Porter, 8th Ohio L. A.; Patrick Turney, Co. G. 6th Pa. H. A.; James Rateliffe, Co. G. 68th Ill.; William H. Munro, Co. F. 10th Conn.; WElliam Grupy, aged 72, Co. I, 2d Md.; Vernon E. Hanna, Cos. F. and C. 1st N. Y. M. R.; John Blaess, Co. L. 4th U. S. Prov. Army; Henrich Fischer, aged 82, Co. C. 10th Ohio; William Gollnow, aged 80, Co. H. 43d Ill.; John Buckley, aged 77, Corporal, Co. R. 6th N. Y.; Fred Fifer, Co. L. 161st Ind W. W. S.; John H. Jacobs, aged 85, Co. F. 74th Ohio; Isaac B. Downing, Co. I., 88th Ohio; Owen Evans, Co. A. 196th Ohio; Dennis Sullivan, Co. B. 24th Ohio; Benjamin Fulkerson, Co. H. 167th Ohio; William Dodron, Co. H. 5th Mass, Colored Cav. Total, 32. CHASE.—Lieut, Heman Chase, aged 81, deei at Harwich, Mass, July 29, 1009. He served one year in Navy, and for three years in Co. A. 58th Mass, He and his three brothers were all in the semy at the same time.

HOPPER,—Egbert Hopper, of James B. Morris Post, 46. Department of New Jer.

daughters.

PIERCE.—Maj. Henry I. Pierce died, aged
76, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Geo.
W. Mansdeld, in Pewaukee, Wis. In 1861
B. 32d Obio; a widow, three sons and two died at Princeton, Ind., Aug. 10, 1903, agod daughters survive.

MOLDEN—Riedson Molden of the 2d sons survive; was the first member of the

will miss him. He was born in Ireland, and came to New York just before the war. He war led in lilinois and settled on a farm near Peabody, Kan., where he spent the most of his life since. He was a consistent member of the Presbyterian Church.

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SARGENT.—Henry Sargent died at Leominster, Mass., June 8, Algon, aged 73 years, three months and eight days. He enlisted in Co. K. 57th Mass. He was a member of Joe Johnson Post, 95, G. A. R., Northboro, Mass. He leaves a widow, Mary A., and one son, Williamt T. Sargent, and many friends to mourn his passing away.

LIGHT.—At Continental, Ohio, Aug. 20, 1988, George B. Light, aged 70 years, nine months and four days. He served in Co. A. doith Ohio, three years and seven months. He leaves a wife, one son and two daughters to mourn his loss. He was a member of A. N. Rice Post, 214.

EYER.—At the home of his daughter, near

of A. N. Rice Post, 214.

EYER.—At the home of his daughter, near Charter Oak, Iowa, Aug. 10, 1900, Samue. Eyer, aged SI years. Comrade Eyer was born in Center County, Pa. He enlisted it. Co. E. 45th Pa. He was wounded at the Wilderness, and captured in front of Petersburg. He was a prisoner of war for nine months. He moved to Iowa in 1878.

McKELLAR.—At Calais, Me., Aug. 2 1969, Wm. S. McKellar, M. D., aged 66 comrade McKellar served in the 1st Me. H. A., as Hospital Steward. He was a mem-ber of Joel A. Haycock Post, 34, G. A. R. COLEMAN.—At Vineyard Haven, Mass., Aug. 4, 1903, John Coleman, aged 72 years. Comrade Colemon served four years in the Navy on the ship Macedonian, and later of the Kenebec and Colorado. He left thomourn his loss a widow, who is a confirmed invalid, and three sons and two daughters. PATRICK.—Tobin Patrick, at Niles, N Y., Aug. S, 1989, aged 71 years. He served in Cowan's 1st Battery, N. Y. L. A. On-son and three daughters survive him. HANKINS.—Philip Hankins, Co. D. 7is Ohlo, died in Mendon, Ohlo, April 19, 1903 aged 74 years. He leaves two daughters. DENTON.—I. G. Denton, Co. B, 8th III Cav., died at Arlington, S. D., June 19

army as a drummer boy in Co. A, 12ti Conn., died in New York City July 28, 1969 Comrade Daly was captured after the bat the of Winchester and spent some time it Libbey and Andersonville prisons. In later years he was a water-meter inspector in and Grand Army circles.

Cav., Darby, Pa.

A Vermont Monument.

Milton, Vt., will dedicate a monument to the soldiers of the civil war Sept. 6.

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one son. The town, comrades, Church and all will miss him. His remains were laid to rest at Cambridge Springs, Ps.

CAMPRELL.—Wm. Campbell, of 101st Ill., died at Evanston, Ill., May 10, 1000. He enlisted at the age of 19, and served in the Vickaburg campaign, and was engaged in many of the battles of the Southwest. He was twice seriously wounded and remained in the hospital nearly a year. He suffered almost continuously from his wounds, and as late as 1900 it was found necessary to amputate his leg. He was a native of Iresand, and came to America with his parents when he was four years old. After the war he served as Postmaster at Litchfield, Ill., for eight years. A widow and four children survive.

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Comrade J. W. Edwards, of the Pacific Branch of the National Soldiers' Home, writes that the following members of this Home died during the month ending July 11, 1996. Angustus Thompson, Co. A. 29th Ohio; John Tireny, Co. H. 1st Cai. Cav.; James O. Clark, Co. K. 20th Mass.; George E. Priest, Co. G. 11th Mo.; Geo. S. Ackley, Co. D. 194th N. Y.; Edward S. Waymoth, Co. D. 194th N. Y.; Edward S. Waymoth, Co. D. 194th N. Y.; Edward S. Waymoth, Co. D. 19th Vt.; Amineus Graham, Co. A. 21st Ill.; John A. Pingree, Co. I. 10th Ohio Cav.; George Egge, Co. D. 12th Ill.; Daniel Riardon, U. S. Navy; John Eliott, Co. A. 18th Ohio Cav.; George Egge, Co. D. 12th Ill.; Daniel Riardon, U. S. Navy; John Eliott, Co. A. 18th Ohio L. A.; Joseph Gilliand, Co. D. 39th Ind.; William H. George S. Hagen, 9th Ohio L. A.; Joseph Gilliand, Co. D. 39th Ind.; William H. Foutleroy, U. S. Navy.

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MARTIN.—Robt. H. Martin, Sergeant. Co.
I. 49th Ind., died at Deiphos, Ohio, July
IS, 1999, aged 65 years. He enlisted Dec. 2, 1891, and was mustered out Sept. 4, 1865; was g railcond engineer for many years after the war until failing sight compelled him to give up his engine. Courrode Martin wrote a number of interesting articles for The National Tribune.

TRIEG.—Los T. Tribuse. Co. H. 112th Ohio

BEATTY.—Harry E. Beatty, Co. A. 5th

BLACK.—G. G. Black died June 25, 1909. It Nampa, Idaho, aged 80 years and six months; was a member of Co. G. 114th Dhio, survived by seven children.

he enlisted in the 96th N. Y., and was promoted to Second and First Licentenant and Captain, and was Major when he was honorably discharged in March, 1964. Until one spar ago he was a resident of Milwaukee for 42 years. He was born in New Sweden, N. Y. He leaves a widow and seven children, two brothers and one sister.

WILSON.—George Wilson, 70 years old, who served during the war of the rebellion in Co. D, 13th Ind., died Aug. 14, 1899, at the State Soldiers' Home at Lafayette, Ind.

HULL.—Henry Hull, M. D., died at his home in Revenna, Mich., July 29, 1969, aged 62 years. He leaves a widow and a daughters survive. Molden had drawn was nassociated with Kit Carson; was also in Niearangua with one of Walker's expeditions; was wounded four times in variety, who resides in Washington, D. C. He enlisted while attending school in Prairie (ity, jil., at the age of 17, in Co. D, 13th

TALLMAN.—Christopher C. Tallman died at Yamhili, Ore., June 19, 1809, aged 72 years; was a member of Co. G., 12th Mich., and Commander of Warren Post, G. A. R. was a member of the G. A. R. and a 324 by gree Mason.

PICKELL.—Edson Pickell, Co. D. 181
Mich., died in Sidney, Mich., Aug. 10, 1998.
Comrade Pickell served over four years and was a member of Stanton Post, 37, of Stanton, Mich. He left a widow and three sons.
KNOWELS.—John Knowels, Co. I. 34
Iowa Cav., died July 30, 1999, at Moravia, Iowa, aged 91 years. He was an old Mason and member of Post 338.

SHUTTERIX.—W. H. Shutterly, Co. F. 35th Iowa, died Aug. 16, 1859, at Moravia, Iowa, aged 77 years. Member of Post 338.

KELLY.—Matthew Kelly, Corporal, Co. G. G. In N. Y. H. A., died July 10, 1899, at Moravia, and two daughters and a host of friends who and two daughters and a host of friends who are two daughters and a

CHAFLIN.—At Green Bay, Wis., July 21, after a lingering illness, Amos A. Chaffin, who served three years in the army and was part of the force which compelled the sur-

HOWARD.—J. Wesley Howard died July
14, 1990, at Hensonville, N. Y., aged 67
years; served in Co. H. 57th N. Y., and at
Petersburg received a wound which made
him a cripple for life.

time.

HOPPER.—Egbert Hopper, of James B.
Morris Post, 46, Department of New Jersey, G. A. R., Long Branch, N. J., died at Cloumbus, Obio, July 9, 1909, aged 65 years. Comrade Hopper served in Co. C., 12th U. S. Regulars for one year, being discharged for disability.

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